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AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

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Please amend the above identified case as follows.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the paragraph starting at page 172, line 10 as follows:

This ie one Barker code at a time scheme is faster than some of the alternative ranging schemes previously described wherein the RU sends its entire ranging ID each time it picked a new delay value since in those alternative schemes a number of frames equal to the number of bits in the ID was consumed for each value of T_d before the RU knew whether that

was the correct T_d value.

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